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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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In accordance with Rule 111 of the Rules of Practice, please enter the

following amendments and consider the accompanying remarks before examining

this application on the merits. The present amendments are made in accordance

with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.121. Pursuant to the requirements of 37

C.F.R. § 1.121(c)(1)(ii), Applicants submit on separate sheets attached hereto at

Exhibit A, a copy of the amended claims marked up to show all changes made in this amendment relative to the previous version of each claim. Applicants also submit herewith:

- (1) A Response to Notice to File Missing Parts and Completion of Application, including a Declaration and Power of Attorney document executed by each of the above indicated inventors and a check covering the estimated Filing Fee (including the appropriate surcharge);
- (2) An Assignment executed by each of the above-named inventors, for recordation in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office;
- (3) An Information Disclosure Statement, including Form PTO 1449 and copies of references 1-11 cited therein, and
- (4) A certified copy of priority Danish patent application no. DK PA 2000 01194.

It is believed that no additional fees are due for these submissions.

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Please amend the application as follows: